

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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10/806,894

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Group Art Unit:

1712

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EXAMINER:

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 TO NON-FINAL **OFFICE ACTION, MAILED JULY 3, 2006**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents

In response to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2006 ("the Office Action"), Applicants submit the following:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that beings on page 2 of this paper; and
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.